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DRAFTED BY REVISED TEXT RECEIVED FROM WHITE HOUSE

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S/ CPR - MR. DAVIS (BY PHONE)

EA - MR. SNEIDER

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TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO PRIORITY

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E. O. LL652: N/ A

TAGS: OGEN, PDEV, JA

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO EMPEROR ON BIRTHDAY

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE
PRESIDENT TO THE EMPEROR ON OR BEFORE APRIL 29.

QUOTE: YOUR MAJESTY: ON THE OCCASION OF YOUR SEVENTY-
SECOND BIRTHDAY, MAY I EXTEND MY HEARTFELT GREETINGS AND
CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU. THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA JOIN ME IN EXPRESSING THEIR BEST WISHES TO YOU,
BOTH TODAY AND FOR THE FUTURE.

WE REGRET THAT IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE FOR YOUR IMPERIAL
MAJESTIES TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES THIS YEAR. YOU MAY
BE ASSURED, HOWEVER, THAT OUR DOORS WILL BE OPEN TO YOU
WHenever A VISIT CAN BE ARRANGED.

WITH MY BEST PERSONAL REGARDS, RICHARD NIXON. UNQUOTE.

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2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT, BUT
HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY THE GOJ. PLEASE INFORM
DEPARTMENT IF RELEASED. ROGERS

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